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FM AMEMBASSY QUITO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5299

INFO USMISSION GENEVA PRIORITY

AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL PRIORITY

C O N F I D E N T I A L QUITO 2831

LIMDIS

GENEVA FOR LOS DELEGATION

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS EFIS EC US

SUBJECT: FISHERIES DISCUSSIONS: A.K. STROM REPORT

REF: A) QUITO 2814 (NOTAL) B) STATE 95869

1. CONGEN GUAYAQUIL REPORTS THAT, BASED ON INFORMATION FROM INDUSTRY SOURCES, FISHING CONTINUES TO BE GOOD OFF ECUADOREAN COAST. SAME INDUSTRY SOURCES REPORT THAT THERE ARE A NUMBER OF U.S. FLAG BOATS FISHING HERE, PRESUMABLY WITH LICENSES. THEY CANNOT CONFIRM PRESENCE OF A.K. STROM.

2. EMBASSY WOULD PREFER TO AWAIT DEPARTMENT'S REPORT ON LOCATION OF A.K. STROM BEFORE CONSIDERING COURSE OF ACTION OUTLINED IN PARA 2 REF B. WE MIGHT ADD, HOWEVER, THAT WE HAVE RESERVATIONS ABOUT RAISING MATTER WITH GOE OFFICIALS SINCE THIS COULD FORCE THEM INTO FEELING THAT THEY MUST ENFORCE THEIR LAW IF IN FACT STROM IS IN ECUADOREAN-CLAIMED WATERS. BY SIMPLY DISREGARDING THE MATTER WE WOULD HAVE AT LEAST SOME CHANCE THAT GOE WOULD DO LIKEWISE.

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WE MIGHT ALSO ADD THAT INFORMATION CONTAINED IN OUR ORIGINAL

REPORT CONCERNING STROM'S WHEREABOUTS (REF A) WAS  
APPROXIMATELY ONE WEEK OLD.  
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